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SUBJECT: SALT: FRENCH DELEGATION UNDERSTANDINGS ABOUT  
THROW-WEIGHT AND MIRVS.

REF: A) NATO 5025  
B) SALT T 0026

1. YOU SHOULD RESPOND TO FRENCH REQUEST FOR COMMENT REF A  
WITH TEXT SUGGESTED IN REF B.

2. TEXT READS AS FOLLOWS: "WE HAVE ONE COMMENT ON THE  
FRENCH TEXT THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO MAKE, NAMELY THAT THROW-  
WEIGHT IS A SOMEWHAT BROADER TERM THAN PAYLOAD, INCLUDING  
MORE THAN THE WARHEAD, AND IS EXPRESSED IN TERMS OF WEIGHT  
RATHER THAN VOLUME." XGDS JOHNSON

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